

McCarthy-Lindsay Ballot Being Pushed

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MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 3—Enough petitions for a presidential ticket of Sen. Eugene McCarthy and New York's Mayor John Lindsay on the Minnesota ballot will be filed Friday, organizers of the movement said today.

If the plan succeeds, Vice President Humphrey, the Democratic presidential candidate, could lose his home state.

McCarthy's backers claim he could get 25 per cent of the vote in a state in which Richard Nixon, according to The Minneapolis Tribune poll, is now leading Humphrey.

State law requires only 2000 signatures for a place on the ballot. John W. Hawley, leader

of the McCarthy-Lindsay effort, says more than 3000 have been collected.

McCarthy's consent is not required for his name to appear on the ballot in Minnesota. How he will respond to the effort and to a similar one in Vermont is unclear.

McCarthy yesterday asked that his name be withdrawn as a fourth party candidate in Iowa and said he would not participate in any fourth party movement. He said he would deny permission for his name to be entered in any state—such as Iowa—where his consent is required. Where consent is not required, he said he "would respond to the recommendation of the people in those states."